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California State University, San Bernardino

University Diversity Committee

Thursday, March 3, 2016

MINUTES

Committee Members Present: Caballero (Chair), Eaton, Evans-Carthen, Guo, Harrington, Hood, Jennings, Moore, Murillo-Moyeda, Smith, Tan

Committee Members Absent: Collins, Davis, Gervasi, Muhtaseb, Shon, Texeira, Zuniga

Ex Officios Present: Bateman, Contreras

- I. Approval of Minutes from February 18th meeting
Evans-Carthen makes suggestion to change the information regarding the Fall 2016 Conversations on Diversity speaker to the correct name. Harrington moves to approve with changes. Eaton seconds. Minutes approved.
- II. Budget Report
No changes to budget.
- III. Subcommittee Reports
 - a. Event Funding Requests
No event funding requests.
 - b. Conversations on Diversity
Evans-Carthen thanks everyone for their support for the recent event with Beverly Gooden. She adds that the next Conversations on Diversity event is scheduled for May 12th with Dave Stevens on the topic of overcoming adversity. The next subcommittee meeting is scheduled for March 10th from 9:30-10:30 in SH 126. The goal of the subcommittee is not to meet over summer. Evans-Carthen adds that they currently have mapped out the next few events. Fall 2016 will focus on Native Americans. Stuart Milk is who they are hoping for in winter 2017 at the Palm Desert Campus which will be an opportunity for UDC members to be visible at the other campus. This event will take place during the evening. The subcommittee has also identified a speaker from UCR. Evans-Carthen encourages everyone to submit any ideas for speakers to her as not all of next year's speakers have been finalized yet.
 - c. Diversity Training
Evans-Carthen reports that she and Harrington will facilitate the upcoming training on March 9th. She adds that sometime after the training she would like all trainers to meet to review how they would like to proceed with future trainings.
 - d. Faculty Initiative Program
Tan reports that they plan to send out the notice to campus faculty regarding the summer institute within the next few weeks. Tan asks if any faculty would be interested in joining. Harrington volunteers to serve as a part of the faculty initiative program.
 - e. UDC Webpage
Tan reports that if there are any updates or changes that need to be made to the website to inform him.
 - f. Yotie Talks

Caballero reports that the first Yotie Talks was very successful. The speaker was great and they had good attendance with about 80 or so individuals. The audience was made up of mostly students but also consisted of Deans, Vice Presidents as well as other campus Administrators. Murillo-Moyeda adds that she would like to see the students being able to participate more to make it more interactive for them. She adds that the cameras were possibly a deterrent to having the students participate. Harrington agreed that the students should be more involved and that the subcommittee may consider using an app called Kahoot that would allow the students to participate in the conversation via their phone. Jennings agreed that this may make for a less isolating and more inviting environment. Tan suggests that holding the next event outside the library would be a good location to get students more involved. Caballero adds that they are planning the next Yotie Talks event for April.

IV. Old Business

Caballero asks what the next step in the GE Resolution should be. Committee agrees to have Jennings send the latest draft via email one more time for final edits. Once all suggested changes have been decided on and approved by committee members Caballero suggests to present resolution to Academic Affairs Council, Faculty Senate and place it on the UDC Webpage. Tan suggests to send it to Janelle Gilbert as well.